# Two Teams of College Stars to Play at Barnum Gym Jan. 22

## Detroit Lions '5' To Oppose Auto Club Collegians

Barnum Junior High School has been successful in arranging a basketball game between the members of the Detroit Lions and the Auto Club of Michigan. It will be played in the Barnum Gym, Wednesday night, Jan. 22, at 8:30.

The Detroit Lions boast a lineup composed of six former All-American football players. All of the ents playing were also former college basketball stars.

The Auto Club is coached by Cincy Sachs and boasts many outstanding players. The Auto Club is leading the AAA Basketball Team in Detroit. They have defeated the New York Celtics and the Harlem Globe Trotters, which are considered among the best teams in the country.

As a preliminary game the Barnum and Adams Junior High School teams will start playing at 7:15.

There are 250 reserved seats which will be placed on sale today noon at the Barnum and Adams School offices. There will also be a number of rush seats available for students the night of the game.

Following are the two team rosters:

**Automobile Club of Michigan Collegians**
BOB MacLEOD—selected as halfback on Grantland Rice's 1938 All-American football team, while at Dartmouth. As good at basketball as he was at football. Considered in the East as the greatest basketball player of all time in the Ivy League. Fast, smart and tough. Another former trackport captain.

CHARLES PINK—Three sport star at University of Michigan, captain of basketball team and baseball team. A born leader. Great ball handler and defense man, he led the Michigan team in scoring.

NORMAN (BULL) BORTON—Twelve letter man from Albion College. Captained basketball, football, baseball and track teams. All Michigan selection for three years in football and basketball. Plays any position. Great defense as well as offensive player. Controls ball off back boards and great pivot position.

BOBBY ROTH—Captain and former Wayne University captain. A brilliant ball handler and set shot. Flashy, speed, tricky and colorful. A certain crowd pleaser.

JACK PIANA—Co-captain with Calihan at the University of Detroit. Great set shot, and also dangerous under the basket. Good for 9 to 10 points against any team.

HOWARD McARTY—Plays either center or forward. Good defensive player. Has great one-handed push shot. A Wayne University star.

**Detroit Lions Basketball Team**
LLOYD CARDWELL, All-American—Nebraska.
HILL CALLIHAN, Nebraska.
CHUCK HANNEMAN, Michigan Normal.
CAL THOMAS, Tulsa.
HOWIE WEISS, All-American, Wisconsin.
JOHNNY PINGEL, All-American, Michigan State.
AL WOJCIECHOWICZ, All-American, Fordham.
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BILL MOORE, North Carolina.
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| | Won | Lost |
|---|---|---|
| Wilton Drugs | 28 | 8 |
| Winninghams | 22 | 14 |
| Hill's Shoe Rebuilding | 21 | 15 |
| Davidson's | 20 | 16 |
| Beck Cleaners | 19 | 17 |
| Drum Cleaners | 17 | 19 |
| Parks Coal | 16 | 20 |
| Mel's Beauty Shop | 16 | 20 |
| Wolverine Potato Chips | 13 | 23 |
| R & B Ladies' Shop | 10 | 25 |

Ind. high, 1 game—A. Mitchell, 182.
Ind. high, 3 games—D. Floyd, 457.
Team high, 1 game—Wilson Drugs, 691.
Team high, 3 games—Beck Cleaners, 1819.

**JUNIOR LEAGUE**

| | Won | Lost |
|---|---|---|
| Sargent, Motor | 28 | 11 |
| Drivers | 24 | 15 |
| Birmingham Rec. Jrs. | 22 | 14 |
| Peck's | 22 | 17 |
| Sawyer's | 20 | 19 |
| Ritter's | 19 | 20 |
| Ladd's | 19 | 20 |
| Meitzner's | 19 | 20 |
| Will-o-Way | 12 | 24 |
| Gulf | 7 | 24 |

Ind. high, 1 game—Randolph, 235.
Ind. high, 3 games—Liberda, 620.
Team high, 1 game—Juniors, 990.
Team high, 3 games—Juniors, 2731.

**HOUSE LEAGUE**

| | Won | Lost |
|---|---|---|
| Orpheum | 40 | 24 |
| Darner's | 38 | 25 |
| Bell & Son | 38 | 26 |
| Stroh's | 32 | 32 |
| National Bank | 32 | 32 |
| Hi-way Mart | 32 | 32 |
| Smithers | 29 | 34 |
| Mulholland | 28 | 36 |
| Gundry | 28 | 36 |
| Ferndale Co. | 27 | 37 |

Ind. high, 1 game—D. Maxwell, 231.
Ind. high, 3 games—D. Maxwell, 629.

**MERCHANTS' LEAGUE**

| | Won | Lost |
|---|---|---|
| Goebel's | 40 | 16 |
| Dixie Diner | 34 | 22 |
| Scrubs | 32 | 22 |
| Cotter's Tavern | 30 | 26 |
| Birmingham Executive | 29 | 27 |
| Clawson Oil | 28 | 30 |
| Sherman's | 28 | 31 |
| Milks | 28 | 32 |
| Red Indian Oil | 28 | 32 |
| Lions' Cubs | 28 | 33 |
| Lions' Cats | 28 | 33 |
| Jay Shop | 22 | 34 |

Ind. high, 1 game—H. Walter, 228.
Ind. high, 3 games—R. Danford, 612.
Team high, 1 game—Red Indian Oil, 873.
Team high, 3 games—Goebels, 2501.

**GOLF CLUB LEAGUE**

| | Pts. |
|---|---|
| Brassies | 40 |
| Putters | 34 |
| Mashies | 33 |
| Mashies | 32 |
| Mashie-Niblick | 27 |
| Mid-Irons | 26 |
| Drivers | 19 |
| Spoons | 16 |

Ind. high, 1 game—Mr. Latchaw, 257.

**EDISON LEAGUE**

| | Pts. |
|---|---|
| Team No. 3 | 34 |
| Team No. 6 | 31 |
| Team No. 8 | 30 |
| Team No. 7 | 27 |
| Team No. 1 | 26 |
| Team No. 5 | 24 |
| Team No. 4 | 22 |
| Team No. 9 | 21 |
| Team No. 2 | 20 |
| Team No. 10 | 19 |
| Team No. 11 | 18 |

Ind. high, 1 game—Simerl, 268.
Ind. high, 3 games—Simerl, 629.
Team high, 1 game—No. 1, 942.
Team high, 3 games—No. 10, 2604.

**Birmingham Edison Bowling League**

| Player | Avg. | Player | Avg. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fr'k'n'fld, Sr. | 186 | Terwilliger | 148 |
| Stewart | 180 | Bean | 148 |
| Corey | 180 | Pearsall | 147 |
| Munster | 166 | Boner | 146 |
| Henderson | 167 | Kaufman | 145 |
| Caryl | 163 | Fr'k'n'fld, Jr. | 145 |
| Simerl | 161 | Stanton | 145 |
| Voehel, W. | 161 | Hughson | 145 |
| Schairer | 159 | Brown | 143 |
| McBride | 157 | Hampton | 142 |
| Ford, W. | 157 | McCluskey | 140 |
| Zeuner | 157 | Gary | 139 |
| Atwood | 156 | Dibble | 139 |
| Russell | 156 | Gilroy | 139 |
| Swanson | 155 | Schmidt | 138 |
| Ruddock | 155 | Sherard | 135 |
| Wheeler | 154 | Townsend | 135 |
| Hildebrandt | 153 | Hofmeister | 133 |
| Voehel, L. | 153 | McDonald | 133 |
| Emerson | 153 | McAuliffe | 132 |
| Mackay | 153 | Manning | 132 |
| Collins | 152 | Ford, E. | 132 |
| Opperman | 151 | Carnes | 128 |
| Mattson | 150 | Meldrum | 121 |
| Hunter | 148 | MacDonell | 117 |
| Gough | 148 | McGregor | 116 |
| Bruder | 148 | | |

## 30 Students Hear Detroit Symphony

Through the kindness of the Detroit Symphony Society, 30 members of Baldwin Senior High School's voice classes and A Cappella Choir joined thousands of Detroit high school students yesterday in hearing the annual program given by the Detroit Symphony orchestra under the direction of Victor Kolar.

Baldwin students were accompanied by Victor Ulrich, vocal music director.

## Royal Oak Hands Maple Basketeers Season's 1st Loss

Birmingham basketball team bowed its head in defeat for the first time this season, Tuesday night, as a result of a third period drive by Royal Oak that netted the winners 5 points in a well earned 38-27 victory. Hal Carpenter led his team to victory by scoring 19 points, which was exactly half of the Royal Oak total.

The game started rather slowly and looked as if it might settle down to a nip and tuck battle all the way. The first quarter ended with Birmingham leading 8-7 at the 8-7 score.

In the second period the Royal Oak defense really went to work, allowing the Maples but a single point as the victors scored seven. This fine work put the Oaks into a 14-9 lead at the intermission and they were never in danger from this point on.

The Maples outscored their opponents by five points in the last quarter but this was little avail against the lead that had already been built up by the Oaks in the second period.

Dennis Therrian and Paul Kelly led the Maples in scoring with six points apiece.

The game was rather rough, 32 fouls being committed and two of Royal Oak's starting line-up were put out in the fourth period on fouls. Jim Shader was also taken out because of a bad spill in the third period.

This was the fourth straight victory for Royal Oak and it appears as if they were headed for one of their best seasons in years.

## No Entrance Fee In Essay Contest

There are no entry fees or any other expenses for the high school student who would like to test his ability as an essayist on the subject "One Nation Indivisible" in the present nationwide contest being conducted by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States in cooperation with The Eccentric and other newspapers throughout the country.

The boy or girl who is ambitious for a higher education but is handicapped by the lack of funds has a chance to guarantee his scholastic future by taking part in this contest. He has everything to win and nothing to lose in trying to capture the prize of $1,000 in cash which will be awarded by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the V. F. W. for the best essay contributed. Second place will win $500, third place $250, fourth place $100. Ten awards of $10 cash and ten of $5 will also be distributed.

Birmingham prizes will total $20 and a $2.50 box of stationery given by the Willis Printing Company.

All essays must be limited to a minimum of 500 words or a maximum of 1,000 words. Contestants are asked to observe the simple rules of the contest which are outlined in a folder that may be obtained on request either from the teacher or principal. Under the rules, students are permitted to receive advisory aid from teachers, parents or friends on either the subject matter to be included in their essays or as to the accuracy of historical facts, names or documentary quotations. Although all students who take part in this contest are urged to seek guidance in assembling their material they must not accept assistance in the actual writing.

Every essay submitted must be accompanied with a signed statement from the student's teacher or school principal affirming that the writer is of regularly qualified student in the school or institution represented, and that the contents of the essay reflect the student's own efforts.

All essays will be judged on the basis of literary construction, interpretative views and patriotic inspiration.

**REVEAL JUDGES**

**The judges for the local contest have been announced as Mrs. R. P. Cole, regent of Piety Hill Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution; Howard D. Crull, superintendent of schools; and John H. Harwood, managing editor of The Eccentric. Names of writers will not appear on the essays to preserve anonymity during judging.**

## Radio Club Records Legend of Ichabod

The Radio Club of Baldwin Junior High School made a recording of a special dramatization of the "Legend of Sleepy Hollow." The pasts of the play and sound effects were done by the 56 members of the club.

The narrator was Ernest Christon; Clayton Gordon, "Rehaved Crane"; Tom Allen, "Brom Bones;" and Wallace Roy, the neighbor. Barbara Fox played "Katrinka Van Rassel."

Chuck Walker and Jack Minton supervised the recording which was made in the music room of Hill School.

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## It Isn't Ice, but It's Nice

What looks like a meeting of the polar bears' club is really a trio of surf bathers frolicking in the Pacific at San Diego, Calif. The "ice" is a foamy surf, technically known as shorebreak, which was whipped to a froth by storms and high breakers.

## Farmington Next For Birmingham

Birmingham will be gunning for a victory over Farmington next Tuesday night when the Maples go into battle for the seventh time this season.

Farmington will face Birmingham with a record of three victories to two defeats. Birmingham will have five wins chalked up one defeat.

The out of town boys average five feet 11 inches in height. The probable lineup for Farmington will be Jim Youngblood and Dan Oldenburg, forwards; Bill Campbell, center; Bob Russell and Art MacCulloch, guards.

Although Coach Whitney closed no starting team, he mentioned 12 fellows who will see action. They are Ollie Olson, Denny Sherman, Paul Kelley, Ray Pleva, Dick Gilbert, Howie Crull, Jack Beckman, Joe Armstrong, Dick Hopkins, Stan Peterson, Bobek Bilton, and Dave Kennedy.

## A Cappella Choir Robes Purchased

The music department has at last gathered together enough money to purchase the much needed robes for the A Cappella Choir.

The money has been collected from the receipts of various paid performances since the arrival of Victor F. Ulrich as vocal instructor.

The robes are of maroon color with a white stole, and are being made by the P. J. A. and other voluntary workers.

They will be seen for the first time Jan. 30, when the choir and combined voice classes will present the popular and patriotic "Ballad for Americans," which will compose the musical portion of the Birmingham P.-T.A. meeting at which Dr. Charles J. Anspach will speak on the subject "Leaks in the Ledger."

"There," said the plumber, in spite of all the silly jokes about us, we've got a use for a spade, too! My mate's here with me, and we've not got to go back for anything."

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## Sports Shoup

BY BOB CRAIG

At the time this is in print the Royal Oak game will have been played and Birmingham will have played half of the scheduled games.

It also brings the end of the first semester and the graduation of Roy Revo. Ray is undoubtedly the mainstay of the basketball squad although he has never been a star player, he has been a consistent one, always at the right place when needed. There is no doubt that his loss to the team will be deeply felt, both as a player and a fellow.

Among five players graduating is Merrill Bill has acted as assistant team coach most of this year.

Next year Birmingham will have no football, we hope. Out of a scheduled nine games, Birmingham will play five home games, all at night. Lights and possibly new stands will be provided before the season opens, it is hoped.

After an absence of six years, Jack Pointe returns to meet Birmingham on the field of football in the fall of the 1941 season next fall.

**Birmingham cagers meet Farmington there next Tuesday for the seventh game of the season.**

Coming up to and including Tuesday's games the boys on the Maple floor this year have chalked up games they have made, Gilbert 32, Crull 25, Prevo 16, Kelley 16, Armstrong 14, and Sherman 10. Out of the first eight Ford has played and scored 35 points.

The Henry Ford boys sank 12 out of 35 foul shots Friday night. If they had been that true on their field goals, they could have made up the five-point difference that kept them from a victory.

Father: Didn't you promise me to stop smashing, if you weren't punished?

Father: And didn't I promise you a thrashing, if you weren't?

Son: Yes, Father, but as I've kept my promise you needn't keep yours.—Boys' Life.

## THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE

## Maples Get Scare But Win Their 5th Straight Game

BY FRANK ARMSTRONG

Birmingham's basketball team snatched a 39-34 win over Henry Ford Trade School at Baldwin gym last Friday night, but not before the Craftsmen had scared the Maples with a great closing rally that just fell short. It was the fifth victory in a row for the Maples as they began their season's record undiminished by defeat.

Paced by Paul Kelley who made eight points in the first half, the Birmingham crew left the court at the intermission on the long end of a 21-14 count, after a brilliant opening spurt that threatened to turn the game into a rout.

But the Craftsmen came back in the second half to even the Birmingham lead to five points in the last minute and cause the Maples to stall to protect their slender margin.

Dennis Therrian paced the winners' attack with three field goals and four charity tosses for ten points and high scoring honors for the night.

Fred Stegleton, scoring ace of the Craftsmen, dropped in nine points to lead his team in scoring. The Trade School five was nearly perfect in collecting charity tosses, making 32 of the 15 tries awarded them.

It was the fifth straight loss of the season for the Craftsmen after they had defeated their alumni in the opening game of the schedule.

Coach Franklyn Whitney again used all 12 men in gaining the victory.

## Barnum School Has 'Broadcast'

On Monday, Jan. 13, the 8-B's of Barnum sponsored a roller skating party at the Birmingham roller rink. About 120 of Barnum's Junior High members attended.

**Lose Basketball Game**

Friday a basketball game was held at Baldwin. Barnum sadly reports a loss. The score was 18-6.

**"Radio Broadcast"**

Today the Manners's Club will present a radio broadcast program during the assembly period. Charles Conwell is the announcer; Pete Gahm, Don Beaseter, Bob Erwin and Ed Brubaker will be the football skit "Bearing on the Beacon." "Jackie" Buck is the newscaster; Dulcie Krasnick, Bob Erwin, Dick Beals, Jane Hamilton and Merry Butterfield are the songsters and Nancy MacQueen is at the piano. Homer Curtis will tap-dance.

This is the first time the group will use the newly acquired public-address system.

## *Student Demonstrates On Church Organ*

A conversation concert was given by Robert Wiley from the senior class, under the direction of Mrs. Geraldine Forsyth, Jan. 16 at St. James Church.

Bob explained about the organ and described the selections played. The first selection was "Largo" by Handel; "Serenade," by Vidon; "None but the Lonely Heart," Tschaikowsky; and "Grand Chorus," DuBois.

## Baldwin Junior High Picks Council Officers

Baldwin Junior High School Student Council held its elections for next semester's officers last Thursday.

Bill Garfield is succeeding Tom Austin as president, having filled the position of vice-president for this semester's council.

Bob Daeschner was elected vice-president and Mary Elizabeth Mead, secretary-treasurer. Nan Gilbreath is retiring secretary-treasurer.

Larned Goodrich is adviser of council.


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## Russell Barnes Addresses Group

Because of the interest Baldwin High School students have in current affairs, Russell Barnes, news commentator for the Detroit News, was asked to speak before several of the history classes, Jan. 13. He was secured as speaker by John Gordon.

Mr. Barnes gave his opinions on questions that were asked him by the students.

The first question concerned Harry L. Hopkins. Mr. Hopkins, he believes, has been sent to find out what England's method of reorganizing Europe might be if she wins the war.

On the question of what will become of the gold standard if Germany wins, Mr. Barnes pointed out that Germany would not have seized the gold in countries she has conquered if she did not intend to use it. He also pointed out that for hundreds of years gold has been the yard stick of machines of exchange and it would be very difficult to change now.

Among other questions answered by Mr. Barnes were those dealing with the probable economic effect upon the United States of an Axis victory; the present problem of Bulgaria; and the position of Russia.

Mr. Barnes closed the hour by prophesying hard days ahead for America when taxes would be higher and the living standard lower.

## Juniors Raise Funds At Henry Ford Game

To earn money for class needs, the junior class of Baldwin High School sponsored a record dance and drink concession after the Henry Ford Trade School basketball game in Baldwin gym last Friday.

Joe Armstrong headed the committee, assisted by Henry Dahlquist, John Gordon, Sally Carey, Anna Stevens, George Barnett and Jack McCormick.

**Easy to See**

Bill—I can see that he's economical by his well-earned features.
Don—What do you mean?
Bill—He shaves himself.


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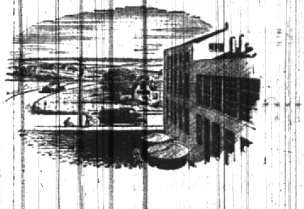
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